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1. TO OUT KNOWLEDGE, ONLY BUGARIANS TEACHING IN FIELD ASSOCIATED WITH AMERICAN STUDIES ARE DOCENT (MRS.) PAULINA PIRINSKA, 19TH AND EARLY 20TH CENTURY AMERICAN LITERATURE; AND DOCENT GRIGOR PAVLOV, MODERN AMERICAN LITERATURE; BOTH IN ENGLISH PHILOLOGY CHAIR, WESTERN PHILOLOGY FACULTY, SOFIA UNIVERSITY "KLIMENT OHRIDSKI." FYI: PIRINSKA IS DEFECTED AMERICAN WHO RENOUNCED CITIZENSHIP. HEAD OF CHAIR AND OTHER FACULTY MEMBERS, WHILE POLITE, HAVE BEEN COOL TO EMBASSY CONTACTS (E.G., SPECIAL "GLASS MENAGERIE" SHOWING FOR STUDENTS). AMERICAN STUDIES AS DISCIPLINE IS UNKNOWN HERE. RECOMMEND NO BULGARIAN BE LISTED IN DIRECTORY.

2. THERE MAY ALSO BE AMERICAN LITERATURE INSTRUCTOR AT NEW VELIKO TURNOVO UNIVERSITY; WE HAVE BEEN UNABLE OBTAIN INFORMATION ON THIS SCHOOL. NO RELEVANT ASSOCIATIONS OR PUBLICATIONS, ALTHOUGH FACULTY HAS ANNUAL PUBLICATION WHICH INCLUDES RELEVANT PAPERS.

3. WOULD APPRECIATE TWO COPIES "AMERICAN DIRECTORY" AND FIVE COPIES "INTERNATIONAL DIRECTORY" WHEN AVAILABLE.

4. PROJECT OFFICER IS P&C OFFICER COFMAN.  
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